

The Wisconsin Post Adoption Resource Centers

- Provide education, support activities and services to adoptive families living in the identified service area.
- Improve community awareness of adoption, promoting a positive image of adoption and an increased understanding of the unique issues facing adoptive families, especially among public and private human service providers, schools and medical care providers to enable these professionals to better serve adoptive families.
- Increase the availability of services for adoptive families by providing referral services such as: respite care; crisis intervention; day care; after-school care; legal help; family counseling; support groups related to adoption, Title XIX service providers; and, planning for the transition of an adopted child to adulthood.
- Establish collaborative efforts among public and private organizations and the general public to address the needs of adoptive families in the Post Adoption Service Center area.

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* Please see the reverse side of this page to determine which regional Post Adoption Center is available to assist you. If you would like to be notified of upcoming training and social activities planned for adoptive families, please contact the designated Center.

<u>Region</u>	<u>Counties</u>
Northeastern	Brown, Calumet, Door, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Marinette, Marquette, Menominee, Oconto, Outagamie, Shawano, Sheboygan, Waupaca, Winnebago and Waushara
Northern	Ashland, Bayfield, Florence, Forest, Iron, Langlade, Lincoln, Marathon, Oneida, Portage, Price, Sawyer, Taylor, Vilas and Wood
Southeastern	Jefferson, Kenosha, Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, Walworth, Washington and Waukesha
Southern	Adams, Columbia, Crawford, Dane, Dodge, Grant, Green, Iowa, Juneau, Lafayette, Richland, Rock and Sauk
Western	Barron, Buffalo, Burnett, Chippewa, Clark, Douglas, Dunn, Eau Claire, Jackson, LaCrosse, Monroe, Pepin, Pierce, Polk, Rusk, St. Croix, Trempealeau, Vernon and Washburn